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In re Application of

Susan Davis ALLEN

Serial No. 09/909,992

Confirm. No.: 1377

Filed: July 23, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REMOVAL OF MINUTE PARTICLES FROM A SURFACE USING THERMOPHORESIS TO PREVENT PARTICLE REDEPOSITION

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and/or Reply in the above identified application.

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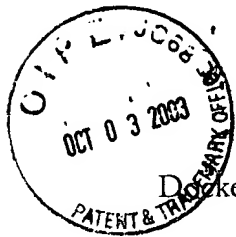
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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 3, 2003, the date for reply having been extended by a Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.